IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventors: Jesse Ambrose; Gilberto Arnaiz; John L. Coker; Samuel Hahn; Ernst

Katchour; Thomas M. Rothwein; David C. Schwarts

Assignee: Siebel Systems, Inc.

Title: PARTIALLY REPLICATED, MULTIPLE-USER DATABASE

MANAGEMENT SYSTEM WITH THIN CLIENT AND

INTERNET APPLICATIONS

Application No.: 09/866,877 Filing Date: May 30, 2001

Examiner: Adam M. Queler Group Art Unit: 2178

Docket No.: OIC0157C1US Confirmation No.: 4487

Austin, Texas July 17, 2007

MAIL STOP <u>RCE</u> COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P. O. BOX 1450 ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AND REMARKS ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Dear Sir:

This paper and the accompanying Request for Continued Examination (RCE) are being submitted in response to the Final Office Action dated April 17, 2007, having a shortened statutory period set to expire on July 17, 2007. Further examination and reconsideration are respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

No Amendments to the Specification or Drawings are presented in this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.